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MERCANTILE

G. Brewer & Co. 1,000,000 100

SUGAR

Ewa 3,000,000 20 27 28

Haw. Agricultural Co. 1,000,000 100

Haw. Com. & Sug. Co. 2,312,750 100

Hawaiian Sugar Co. 2,000,000 20 29 30

Honolulu 780,000 100 10 11

Honolulu 2,900,000 20 29 30

Honolulu 500,000 20 29 30

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Kamalo Sugar Co. 225,000 20 29 30

Kihel Plant. Co. 1,500,000 20 18 19

Kipahulu 180,000 100 10 11

Koloa 500,000 100 10 11

Kona Sugar Co. 500,000 100 10 11

Maunaloa S. Co. 405,000 100

Maunaloa S. Co. 100,000 100

McBryde S. Co. 882,500 20 8 9

McBryde S. Co. 1,600,000 20 18 19

Nabiku Sugar Co. 200,000 20 29 30

Oahu Sugar Co. 3,500,000 100 160 162

Oahu Sugar Co. 1,000,000 100

Oahu Sugar Co. 600,000 20 17 18

Oahu Sugar Co. 812,500 20 4 5

Oahu Sugar Co. 2,500,000 20 14 15

Oahu Sugar Co. 150,000 100 10 11

Panama Sugar Plant. Co. 5,000,000 50

Panama Sugar Plant. Co. 800,000 100

Panama Sugar Plant. Co. 750,000 100

Panama Sugar Plant. Co. 750,000 100

Panama Sugar Plant. Co. 2,000,000 100 120 125

Panama Sugar Plant. Co. 4,500,000 100 120 121

Panama Sugar Plant. Co. 1,000,000 100

Panama Sugar Plant. Co. 700,000 100

Panama Sugar Plant. Co. 250,000 100 14 15

Panama Sugar Plant. Co. 125,000 100

STAMPS

Wilder S. S. Co. 500,000 100 10 11

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MISCELLANEOUS

Hawaiian Electric Co. 250,000 100 10 11

Hon. Ry. Tr. & L. Co. 250,000 100

Hon. Ry. Tr. & L. Co. 25,000 100

Mutual Telephone Co. 139,000 10 11

Maunaloa Cof. Co. 40,000 100

D. B. & L. Co. 2,000,000 100 18 19

People's Ice & Ref. Co. 150,000 100 7 8

BONDS

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A HAOLE KING.

Ohio Boy Who was a Monarch of Hawaii.

IMPOSSIBLE TALE OF A PREACHER

Buckeye Pastor Writes to Governor Dole of a Mysterious Romance.

Governor DOLE has received a letter by the Zealandia from the pastor of a Christian church in a southwestern Ohio town in which he asks for full particulars relative to the history of a youth who became King of Hawaii. The Governor was surprised upon learning this news. He had never in his long private or official career heard it whispered that one of the monarchs of the Islands had been a white man.

The pastor asserts that a few years ago an old man came to him and told him a strange tale of the Ohio boy, whom he said had once been a playmate of his nearly seventy years ago. The pastor said there seems a doubt as to the genuineness of the old man's story, but nevertheless he thoroughly believed it to be true.

The old man had told him he had seen this white monarch while the latter was visiting in the United States and that the recognition was mutual in the city of Chicago. As no King except Kamehameha visited the United States within the last fifty years the conclusion is the man was an impostor and owing to the remoteness of the Hawaiian Islands and the lack of knowledge which people in the United States had of the Hawaiians, there was no way at the time to ascertain the truth of his assertions.

The pastor writes at great length and with fervor. The old man's tale has fascinated him and he invokes the assistance of the Governor to aid in unravelling the tangle; he hopes it will be established that the "white King of Hawaii" was the sailor lad. The narrative has allusions to skeletons in the families of the Kamehamehas and the Kalakaas, of adopted sons, or hana, and a strange fatality which allowed the successor to one of Hawaii's Kings to be a white man.

The old man who told the tale to the clergyman says that in his youth he lived in a southwestern Ohio town and that his playmate was a boy named Harry Barkalow. The latter yearned for a life upon the sea and one day left his home. He made his way down the Mississippi river to New Orleans, where he went before the mast. The ship went down the South American coast, rounded the Horn and came to Honolulu. He obtained leave to come ashore and for the first time saw a real, live King. The ruler went by in his carriage. The youth's face attracted the King and he was sent for. He went to the King's palace and was warmly received. Eventually he was taken into the bosom of the royal family and adopted by the King. The young man's identity was supposed to have been hidden and he was brought up as a Hawaiian. Upon the monarch's death he succeeded his royal foster father and became King. Thus it was that Harry Barkalow, the runaway Ohio boy, is said to have sat upon the throne of Hawaii, while all the people believed him to be one of their own race and the true heir of the King. The history of Hawaii does not disclose that any such deception was practiced upon the Hawaiians, but the Ohio preacher believes the tale.

For many years King Barkalow ruled the Hawaiians. He yearned to visit the land of his birth to seek relatives yet living. The King left for the States with a large retinue and received ovations in every large city. It so happened that by the time the party reached Chicago, Barkalow's old playmate heard of the monarch and made up his mind to see a live ruler. He went to Chicago and witnessed a great procession in which the King participated. In the crowd the King saw the face of his old playmate and he sent for him to meet him at his hotel. The old Ohioan quickly made his way to the rooms of the monarch and was received with great joy.

"Can you keep a secret?" asked the King.

"I can," answered the Ohioan.

"Well, know then that I am your old friend and playmate, Barkalow." And then he related the wonderful story of his career. Such was the tale which the old man poured into the ears of the astonished preacher shortly before the former's death.

The preacher says in his letter that he intended many times to write to the Governor concerning the identity of the King but had neglected doing so.

There is reason to believe, however, that among the white men who came to Hawaii and were promoted to honorable positions in the King's government may have been one who, returning to his own country or Iowa, said he was a high official, second in rank only to the King in name, but in power was greater than the King. Of such men there is the story of Abe Russell, or Abela-hama, as he was called—the haina, or chief-raised son of the King. Abe Russell was reared in the bosom of the King's family—of Kamehameha IV and V—and was buried with honors by Lunalilo or Kalakaua. Russell was of such prominence that his actions were looked upon by those of lesser rank in such a way that they could not be complained of by any one. He was the favorite of two Kings and enjoyed their unbounded confidence. He was the power behind the throne in many important matters. It is said that he went back to his old home, which although not definitely known, is thought to have been in Ohio, and it is possible that he resumed upon the continent of the people. He came to the Islands about 1834 or 1835 when a very young man and grew up in the household of the Kings.

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MAP OF KAHUKU.

Fine Work by Surveyor Thrum Admired by Many Yesterday

At the annual meeting of the stockholders of Kahuku plantation yesterday a map of the plantation was shown which attracted much attention. It was drawn by Surveyor Thrum from surveys made in the last few months by himself, and is one of the finest examples of the kind ever seen here. The map is five by eight feet and the scale is 400 feet to the inch. The topographical features are up to the first of the year. Elevations are given over the entire estate, thus materially assisting in the economic location of roads and irrigating ditches. The water coloring shows the subdivisions of the plantation to great advantage. Each field has its area plainly marked as on January 1. The total area under cultivation is shown to be 2,285 acres, to which will be added 500 acres of new land already ploughed. Maps on a large scale

of each individual field were also furnished by Surveyor Thrum and upon these were indicated the sub-sections leased to profit-sharing companies. The map is on exhibition in T. G. Thrum's window. Mr. Thrum is also the surveyor for the Ewa plantation.

Improve Saloons

An address to women only will be given this afternoon at 2:30 in the prayer rooms of Central Union church. Miss Jessie Ackerman and Miss Murcutt. The two missionaries have been from Hilo and last Saturday night, escorted by Deputy Sheriff Chillingworth, they visited Iwilei and also some of the saloons of the town. The lecture is to be along temperance lines and for the purpose of suggesting some corrections in the government of the saloons and Iwilei.

Cayless for Judge.

Edgar Cayless, one of Robert Wilcox's right hand men, was mentioned by the Independent as a probable successor to the First Circuit Judge, on account of his relations with the Territorial delegate, Mr. Cayless said last evening he had received no word from Washington concerning such a statement and was not aware that his name had been mentioned in connection with a judgeship.

Fisheries Association.

The Hawaiian Fisheries Association adjourned yesterday until Wednesday at 3:30 p. m., so as to get a larger representation. The meeting, which will be for the election of officers, will take place in the Chamber of Commerce rooms. It is desired that all members be present.

Arrangements are being made by L. H. Dee for addresses on single tax and Henry George.

SORCERY AGAIN.

Kahunaism Nearly Causes Woman's Death.

THE UNFORTUNATE LIVES AT KEWALO

Told That She Would Be Taken Ill She Falls Sick on Time.

A TALE of kahunaism, weird, romantic and cruel, comes from the Kewalo district.

In a little cottage live a haole, his native wife and sister-in-law. The pair have not been married a great while, and previously the husband had had many affairs de coeur among the town's dusky sisterhood.

When he finally married and settled down he was apprised from time to time by friends that his former sweethearts were very jealous of his chosen wife, and would spare no effort to bring about a separation by fair means or foul. To this the haole paid little or no attention, ascribing it to the idle gossip of credulous natives.

About a month ago the girl went on a visit to friends in the country, and when she returned she told her husband that she had visited a noted kahuna while away who told her that she would have trouble with her husband in a month's time, and become seriously sick. She said that her husband's former loves had leagued against her, and invoked the assistance of a kahuna to make her sick. The only antidote, she said, was a white rooster, containing not a black feather, and a half-glass of gin.

The month passed away. On the 26th instant the sister-in-law came home from an errand with the story that some girls had told her that "kahuna business" was brewing to her sister's detriment, and that she had been told that three girls had paid \$100 to a kahuna to bring about an estrangement between her sister and her husband.

When the wife heard this she implored her husband to buy a white rooster, but this he was unable to do on account of the difficulty in finding such a fowl.

That same evening she told her husband that she felt very sorry for him, as she felt that she was going to be very sick.

The next night when the husband came home he found his wife sick and despondent. He tried to cheer her up, but without avail. She who had formerly been affectionate in the extreme, now repulsed him roughly.

In a short while she retired to her bedroom and soon after returned to the sitting room. Her face was drawn and haggard, her eyes staring as if transfixed by fear in unseen presence. Presently she walked to the door, gazed out into the darkness for a moment, and then covering her eyes rushed shrieking into the bedroom.

Her husband strove to quiet her, but she crouched in a corner of the room trembling like a wild thing. In a minute or two she fell into an hysterical fit, endeavoring this time to hide her eyes from what she said was a face in the room.

Three minutes of quietness and then a mad spasmodic where she would have jumped headlong through the window if not prevented in time by her husband and sister-in-law. Normally, anything but a woman of strong physique, it now took the united efforts of the two to prevent her from harming herself.

All this time she talked incoherently of things which the two anxious watchers knew vaguely, and while the fit was upon her failed to recognize either of them.

Presently she calmed down a little and asked her sister to fetch some salt and water; to sprinkle the same over the trio and pray as she directed. Her requests were carried out, and there was no more trouble that night.

Yesterday morning the victim awoke and complained of pains in her body, occasioned doubtless by the struggles of the previous evening. She was very nervous, but when told of the events of the previous evening, remembered nothing.

"I knew I was going to be sick," she said, "but if I had had a white rooster it could not have been. All is right now, however; the kahuna's efforts have been brought to naught."

The husband consulted a physician yesterday who said that the trouble was undoubtedly hysterical, and caused by prolonged brooding and worry over a real or imaginary evil. He thought that the girl had undoubtedly been "kahunaed," and expressed an opinion that such a thing might have been fatal to a person of an extremely sensitive nature.

A Dangerous Runaway.

A horse attached to a light brake owned by L. H. Dee ran away yesterday morning and narrowly escaped seriously injuring several pedestrians on Kewalo street.

mauka of King street by Mounted Police William Vida. The brake was completely wrecked.

Booked for the Coast.

When the Sierra sails for San Francisco today, providing she arrives from the Colonies this morning as expected, she will carry the following passengers: J. E. Lewis, Mrs. F. R. Aldrich, Wm. McCashin, Miss G. Haskins, Master A. Felter, W. R. Waters, wife and two children; H. T. Buckley, H. L. Bush, Lucy Guinasso, Mrs. N. L. Tenny, Mrs. W. H. Bailey and Miss Bailey, A. Young, W. R. Spaulding, Judge Sterns and wife, M. Green, H. T. James, W. R. Castle, Jr., F. D. Smith, S. Fieser, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Solomon, E. L. Lewis, R. S. Brewster, Miss E. Leary, Dr. E. E. Heeman, G. W. Gardner, C. P. Baughman, D. L. Bocham, Miss E. May, A. C. Williams, George Pearce, J. E. Holland, N. E. Cramer, Mrs. W. Porter Boyd, Mrs. C. W. MacFarlane, C. W. Hodgson, A. W. Judd, Mrs. B. J. Zabriskie, T. Phillips, former Judge Silliman, McCrossin, Mrs. J. E. Murphy, E. J. Cotton.

Surprise Leads the List.

The gasoline schooner Surprise of the Hawaiian Navigation Company, Captain George Nystrom, is the first vessel in these waters to receive a certificate of inspection at the hands of the Federal inspectors of hulls and boilers who recently arrived here for the purpose of examining the inter-island vessels.

George H. Whitney, inspector of hulls, and Carl F. Lehnert, inspector of boilers, inspected the Surprise yesterday and issued a certificate to the vessel. So the Surprise has the honor of being the first boat to receive a certificate, and, as soon as two of the big, business-like papers have been framed, all who go aboard the little vessel will be able to read the documents and learn many things concerning the schooner.

INDOOR BASEBALL.

Business Men Lose the Last Game of the Season.

The indoor baseball season closed last night at the Young Men's Christian Association when, after eight ineffectual attempts, the Evening Classes gained a bare victory over the Business Men by a score of 12-11. The former started off confidently and in the third innings were four points ahead of their opponents. They fell away at the end, however, the last three essays not helping their score any.

Gorman did brilliant work for the winners in whose interests Brown pitched accurate and well-sustained ball. The Business Men were rather weak in their pitching department.

The game was quite the best of the season, many of the plays being so close as to tax the umpire's resources to their utmost. The line-up and positions of the teams was as follows:

Evening Class.	Position.	Business Men.
Cheatham	Catcher.	Waterhouse
J. Clark	First Base.	Berger
Brown	Pitcher.	Atherton
Kerr	Third Base.	Brock
Gorman	Shortstop.	Cooke-Clarke
B. Clark	Right Field.	McCorison
Alameda	Second Base.	Bird
Johnson	Left Field.	Fenhalow
Crooks	Center Field.	Clarke

This is the way the tally by innings read:

Evening Classes.....123456789

Business Men.....111022090-12

Business Men.....211130210-11

HEALANI MINSTREL SHOW.

After Easter a Splendid Entertainment is Promised.

The members of the Healan Boat Club met together last night at the clubhouse and made preliminary arrangements for a minstrel show which they intend to give shortly after Easter.

Jack Atkinson, Albert Cunha, W. Sharp, Joe Marina and Frank L. Woodbridge were appointed a committee to take things in charge and make all arrangements for the affair. They will look over the material offered and will appoint sub-committees to attend to various details of the scheme.

Ben Bruns has tendered his services and the services of his dog to help the show along, and altogether it is anticipated that the Healan et al will give to the fun-loving public an exhibition heretofore unexcelled in the Paradise of the Pacific.

There is a great deal of theatrical talent among the members of the boat club, and new jokes and brand new situations which will be startlingly funny, are now being invented by local experts in such matters. It is whispered that a hot-stone walking ordeal will figure in the show.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

Fertilizer Company Hold Meeting and Decide on Dividend.

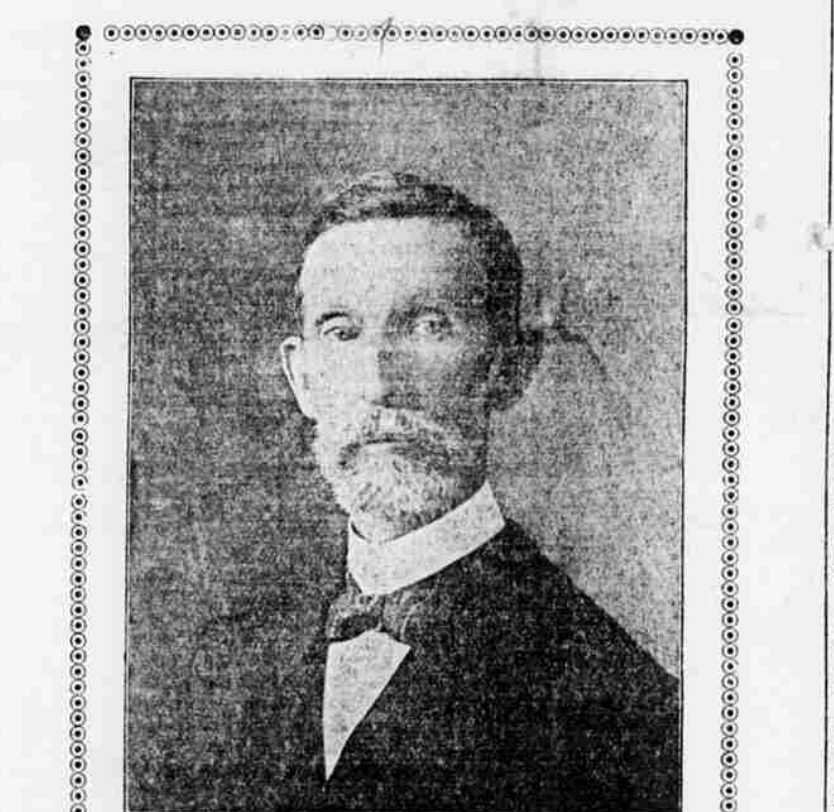
At a meeting of the Guano and Fertilizer Company yesterday morning in the office of H. Hackfeld & Co., the following officers, who will also serve as the board of directors for the ensuing year, were elected: George N. Wilcox, president; H. A. Isenberg, vice president; W. Potenhauer, treasurer, and F. Klamp, secretary, and T. May, auditor.

The outlook for the coming year is considered promising, and the works are reported in a first-class condition. Within a few days a dividend of five cents per share will be declared on the capital stock of the company.

Newspaper Men Change.

There was a general shifting around of the editorial staffs of the Bulletin and Republican yesterday. Dan Logan, for many years with the Bulletin, assumed the city editorship of the Republican. W. H. Conroy was promoted to the city editor's desk of the Bulletin. L. W. Haworth and D. Lloyd Conkling, formerly on the Republican staff, went over to the Bulletin.

AFTER THIRTY YEARS' LABOR



Prof. W. D. Alexander.

Territorial Surveyor Alexander Retires To Serve Uncle Sam in Hawaii.

AFTER A PERIOD of over thirty years' faithful and meritorious service at the head of the survey department, Professor W. D. Alexander has resigned and will be relieved from his present duties on February 1st.

Dr. Pritchard, head of the United States Coast Survey, when in Honolulu a little over a year ago, promised Professor Alexander the position of assistant in charge of a branch office to be established here, similar to that maintained in San Francisco by the United States Coast and Geodetic Survey.

Since that time Professor Alexander has been expecting to receive his official appointment from Washington, which finally reached him last week, giving him practically a life position at the same salary which he received for his old work.

The new position is purely a scientific one, and he will have under his control the direction of all work in these islands, and will probably include Samoa. Professor Alexander received his appointment to the position which he is just relinquishing on September 19, 1870, and since that time has been head of the survey department. He is practically the founder of the bureau, and has succeeded in reducing the whole group to a simple system, besides having surveyed all of the coast and making surveys of the interior.

Walter E. Wall, second in charge of the office, will doubtless succeed Professor Alexander and is well qualified to hold the position.